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Serial No.: 09/843,961)	
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Filed: April 27, 2001)	
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For: Improved Analyte Assays and Devices)	

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

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Respectfully submitted,

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REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY

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NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned hereby appoints all of the practitioners associated with the Customer Number provided below to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith and directs that all correspondence be addressed to that Customer Number:

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EVIDENCE AND CERTIFICATION OF CHAIN OF TITLE

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.73 the assignee hereby certifies that the evidentiary documents with respect to its ownership have been reviewed and that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee seeking to take this action.

Date: August 25, 2003

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Signature

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